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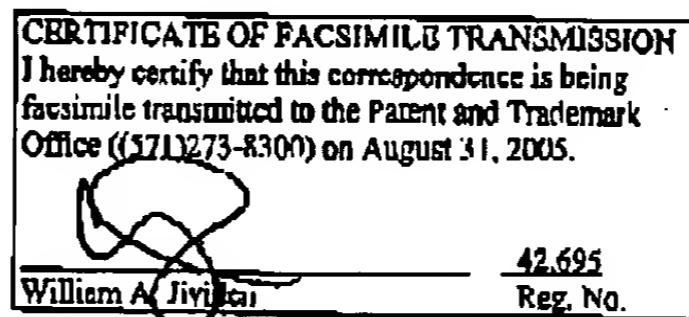
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**AMENDMENT**

This paper is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed July 22, 2005.  
Reconsideration of the present application is respectfully requested in light of the amendments  
and remarks below, which include, in order of appearance, beginning on separate sheets:

- Amendments to the Claims; and
- Remarks.